Guam's average (mean) household income for the calendar year 2001 was \$40,877, a decrease of \$4,214 or 9.3 percent from calendar year 2000, which was \$45,091. Table 1 also shows a moderate decrease of the household size compared to 2000 and a drop in the average number of earners within the household. Per Capita Income for 2001 is \$10,872, a decrease of \$593 or 5.2 percent from the previous year.

Per Capita Income statistics include the total non-institutional civilian population even those without income. Whereas, the mean (average) earners income are only those that are 16 years of age and over, excluding those who have no income. The Mean (average) Earner's Income for 2001 was \$ 21,602, which is \$154 or 0.7 percent below calendar year 2000.

The statistics are based on the data collected from the Current Labor Force Statistics survey in March of each year referring to the previous year's income. The income statistics may not be comparable with other income statistics due to differences in the income definition concepts used and the scope of persons, and households included.

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